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For: SMALL TECHNETIUM-99M AND RHENIUM
LABELED AGENTS AND METHODS FOR
IMAGING TISSUES, ORGANS AND
TUMORS

Examiner: L.W. Rider

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Communication dated September 8, 2009 (the "Office Action" or "Restriction Requirement") and now file this response, which is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page **Error! Bookmark not defined..**

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